

Banks.

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.  
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL .....\$2,000,000  
CAPITAL PAID-UP .....\$1,093,150

**BANKERS:**  
CAPITAL & COUNTRY BANK, LIMITED.

**HEAD OFFICE:**  
No. 3, PRINCE'S STREET, LONDON.

**BRANCHES:**  
BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI.

**AGENTS:**  
PENANG, SINGAPORE AND YOKOHAMA.

**RATES OF INTEREST.**  
ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS AND Fixed Deposits can be ascertained on application.  
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

CHANTREY INCHBALD, Manager.  
Hongkong, 6th November, 1893. [32]

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.  
AUTHORISED CAPITAL .....\$1,500,000  
SUBSCRIBED .....\$1,185,000

**BANKERS:**  
LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum on the Daily Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:—  
For 12 Months ..... 4 per cent.  
" 6 " ..... 3 " "  
" 3 " ..... 2 " "

JOHN THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong.  
Hongkong, 4th February, 1893. [20]

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.  
Authorized Capital .....\$1,000,000  
Subscribed Capital .....\$500,000

**HEAD OFFICE:—HONGKONG.**  
Court of Directors:—  
D. Gillies, Esq., Chairman, Hongkong, Esq.,  
Chan Kiti Shan, Esq., Kwan Hoi Chuen, Esq.,  
H. Stollerfoht, Esq.,  
Chief Manager,  
GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

**Branches:**—London, Yokohama, Shanghai and Amoy.

**BANKERS:**—  
The Commercial Bank of Scotland.  
Paris Banking Co., and The Alliance Bank (Ld.).

Interest for 12 months Fixed, 5 per Cent.  
Hongkong, 16th November, 1893. [7]

Insurances.

THE STANDARD ENDOWMENT ASSURANCE.

1. AMONG THE MANY ADVANTAGES of this form of Assurance, the following may be mentioned:—  
(a)—It secures an immediate Provision for wife and family or other relatives in event of early death.  
(b)—It provides a Fund for Retirement.  
(c)—It supplies an excellent Investment for the regular accumulation of small fixed sums of money.  
(d)—The Surplus and loan values are larger than ordinary Policies.

2. AFTER THE POLICY HAS BEEN THREE YEARS IN FORCE—should the Policy-holder wish to discontinue future payments—he will be entitled to receive, on application, a FREE PAID-UP POLICY for a proportionate amount of the Sum Assured, as explained in the Prospectus.

Full particulars on application,  
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents,  
STANDARD LIFE OFFICE,  
Hongkong, 8th August, 1893. [747]

THE LION FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.  
WE have this day been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, and are prepared to accept FIRE RISKS at CURRENT RATES.

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,  
Hongkong, 1st January, 1894. [65]

SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND.  
THE Undersigned are prepared to accept FIRE and MARINE INSURANCES on favorable terms.  
Current rates, and a guaranteed Bonus equal to that paid by the local Offices.

S. J. DAVID & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, 1st November, 1893. [415]

**NOTICE.**  
THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.  
CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED .....\$1,000,000

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.

**HEAD OFFICE:**  
No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.  
Hongkong, 24th November, 1893. [173]

**GENERAL NOTICE.**  
THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)  
CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000 } \$533,333.33  
EQUAL TO .....  
RESERVE FUND .....\$318,000.00

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**  
LEE SING, Esq., LO YUEN MOON, Esq.,  
LOU TEO SHUN, Esq.

**MANAGER:—HO AMEL.**  
MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the World.

**HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST.**  
Hongkong, 17th December, 1893. [974]

Intimations.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.  
NEW STOCK OF SADDLERY.  
RACING GEAR.  
STABLE REQUISITES.  
RACING SADDLES, WHIPS, BRIDLES, WEIGHT CLOTHS, SADDLE CLOTHS, ROLLERS, GIRTHS, &c., &c., &c.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.  
Hongkong, 30th December, 1893. [130]

THE HONGKONG HOTEL.  
TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "Kremlin"—A. B. C. Code—TELEPHONE, No. 32.

PROPRIETORS.....THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL—the most commodious and best appointed Hotel in the Far East, affords unequalled accommodation to travellers and others. It is situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, adjacent to Pedder's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony) and in close proximity to the Banks and Shipping Offices.

THE HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail Steamers. THE TABLE D'HOTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy, the cuisine being under experienced supervision.

THE BED-ROOMS, with adjoining Bath-rooms, are lofty and well ventilated, open on to spacious Verandahs, are lighted by gas and fitted throughout with electric communicators. The Reading, Writing and Smoking Rooms, Ladies' Drawing Rooms, the new Bar and public BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience. THE WINES & SPIRITS are selected by an Expert and the BEST BRANDS only are supplied. HYDRAULIC ASCENDING ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above.

NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty.

R. TUCKER, Manager.  
Hongkong, 17th November, 1893. [108]

KELLY & WALSH, LD.  
WITH A VIEW TO EFFECTING A CLEARANCE, WE OFFER THE WHOLE STOCK OF OUR PHOTOGRAPH FRAMES, MOSTLY IN CABINET SIZE, AT A DISCOUNT OF 25 PER CENT. A SELECTION OF OVER 500 TO CHOOSE FROM: THIS OFFER WILL REMAIN OPEN DURING THE MONTH OF JANUARY ONLY.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED,  
Hongkong, 11th January, 1894. [6]

W. BREWER.  
HAS JUST RECEIVED 5,000 NEW CHEAP NOVELS.

WALLACE'S PRINCE OF INDIA, author Ben Hur. A. T. Telegraph Code. Gullik's Text Book of Geology. New Queen's Regulations. All the Christmas Annals. Gentlemen's Brown Russia and Calf Walking Boots and Shoes.

Dancing Pump. New Stock Solid-sole Tennis Shoes. Also the Rembrand shoe. Association and Rugby Footballs. Indian Juba. Chevalier's New Song, "Nipper's Lullaby." New Lance Music.

W. BREWER, UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL, QUEEN'S ROAD.  
Hongkong, 6th January, 1894. [140]

CENTRAL HOTEL, SHANGHAI.  
Electric Lighting throughout the Premises.

THIS long-established SELECT Family Hotel, situated on the Bund, facing the river in the centre of the Settlements, is now fitted with the latest modern improvements, including Bath and Dressing Rooms ATTACHED to Suites and Single Rooms, with hot and cold water laid on, DOUCHE, SHOWER, SPRAYS, etc., and heated to a comfortable temperature during winter.

COMMODOUS RECEPTION ROOM FOR VISITORS.  
SEPARATE ROOMS FOR PRIVATE DINNER PARTIES, &c.  
An Assistant attends on Passengers by Mail Steamers.

N.B.—Special reduced charges may be arranged for on application to the Manager.

F. E. REILLY, PROPRIETOR.  
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DAWSON'S PERFECTION OLD SCOTCH WHISKY.  
ALLISTON & CO., SOLE AGENTS, Hongkong and the Far East, 6th, Queen's Road Central.  
Hongkong, 11th December, 1893. [141]

Intimations.

THE AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.  
NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the COMPANY will be held at the Company's Registered Office, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central, on THURSDAY, the 18th day of January instant, at 12 o'clock NOON, for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following Resolution, that is to say:—  
"That THE AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED, be wound-up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Ordinance 1865 to 1890, and that HART BUCK of Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."  
Dated the 6th day of January, 1894.  
By Order of the Board.  
JOHN A. JUPP, Secretary.

THE HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.  
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.  
THE FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Office of the Company, No. 9, Praya Central, on SATURDAY, the 20th January, at 12 o'clock NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to the 31st October, 1893. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 6th to the 20th inst., both days inclusive.  
By Order of the Board of Directors.  
W. A. DUFF, Secretary.  
Hongkong, 6th January, 1894. [72]

THE BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.  
NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above-named COMPANY will be held at the Company's Office, No. 1, Duddell Street, at NOON, on MONDAY, the 22nd day of January, 1894, when the subject Resolutions which were passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 6th January, 1894, will be submitted for Confirmation as Special Resolutions:—  
1.—That the Liquidator be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to Sell and Transfer the whole of this Company's business and property to a new Company, to be incorporated with limited liability under the Companies Ordinance 1865 to 1890, and to be named the NEW BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED, with a Capital of \$150,000, divided into 50,000 Shares of \$3 each, with the usual power to increase and reduce the same.  
2.—That the Draft Contract for Sale submitted to this Meeting, and expressed to be made between this Company and its Liquidator of the one part, and the NEW BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED, of the other part, be, and the same is hereby approved, and that the said Liquidator be, and he is hereby authorized, pursuant to Section 149 of the Companies Ordinance, 1865, to enter into a Contract for the Sale and Transfer of this Company's business and property to the said New Company (when incorporated) for the considerations and upon the terms set forth in the said Draft, and to carry the same into effect with such (if any) modifications as he may think expedient.

CARL GEORG, Liquidator.  
Hongkong, 6th January, 1894. [73]

THE INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS AND SHIPBUILDERS, HONGKONG.  
NOTICE TO MEMBERS.  
THE THIRD ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of MEMBERS will be held in the Rooms, No. 13, Praya Central, on MONDAY, the 22nd January, 1894, at 8.45 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of Managing Committee and Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1893.

ROBERT MITCHELL, Hon. Secretary.  
Hongkong, 9th January, 1894. [88]

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.  
NOTICE is hereby given that the SIXTH ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this COMPANY will be held at the Company's Office, Victoria Buildings, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th January, 1894, at 12 o'clock (NOON), for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1893.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 15th to WEDNESDAY, the 24th January, 1894, (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.  
A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary.  
Hongkong, 8th January, 1894. [82]

THE WEST POINT BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.  
NOTICE is hereby given that the FIFTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this COMPANY will be held at the Company's Office, Victoria Buildings, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th January, 1894, at 12.30 o'clock, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with the Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1893.

The REGISTER of SHARES will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 20th to WEDNESDAY, the 24th January, 1894, (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.  
A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited.  
General Agents for the West Point Building Company, Limited.  
Hongkong, 6th January, 1894. [81]

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION OF CIGARS, WINES, &c.  
THE Undersigned has received Instructions to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, ON TUESDAY, the 16th January, 1894, commencing at 2.30 P.M., at his Sale Rooms, DUDDELL STREET.  
To Close Consignment.  
MANILA CIGARS of the well-known brand of the CIE GENERALE DE TOBACOS MARIA CHRISTINA and other MANUFACTURERS.  
500 lbs. AMERICAN SMOKING MIXTURE in perfect Condition.  
AT THE SAME TIME THERE WILL BE SOLD 12 CASES POMMERY and GRENOS CHAMPAGNE in plenty.  
25 CASES NUREMBERG BEER in plants and quarts in first-class Condition, quality equal to MUNICH BEER.

WHISKIES, SHERRY, BRANDY and other LIQUORS.  
The above will be Sold in Lots to suit purchasers.  
TERMS OF SALE:—As customary.  
GEO. P. LAMMERT, Auctioneer.  
Hongkong, 12th January, 1894. [98]

Shipping.  
STEAMERS.  
DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.  
FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI.  
THE Company's Steamship  
"FOKION," Captain Davis, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 14th instant, at Day-light.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARAIR & Co., General Managers.  
Hongkong, 13th January, 1894. [96]

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.  
UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT.  
STEAM TO SHANGHAI AND KOBE.  
THE Company's Steamship  
"POSEIDON," Captain Feller, will leave for the above places TO-MORROW, the 14th instant, at Noon.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to C. ZANELLA, Agent.  
Hongkong, 13th January, 1894. [69]

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.  
FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG.  
THE Steamship  
"CARMARTHENSHIRE," Captain Vyvyan, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about MONDAY, the 22nd instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, 6th January, 1894. [1305]

"SHELL" LINE OF STEAMERS.  
FOR HAMBURG AND LONDON.  
THE Steamship  
"BULLMOUTH," Captain Scott, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about TUESDAY, the 30th instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to SHEWAN & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, 4th January, 1894. [61]

SAILING VESSELS.  
FOR SAN FRANCISCO.  
THE 100 A. I. British Ship  
"MACMILLAN," Guthrie, Master, will leave here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.  
For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, 1st December, 1893. [137]

FOR NEW YORK.  
THE 100 A. I. British Ship  
"BANGALORE," Condon, Master, will leave here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.  
For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, 8th December, 1893. [39]

FOR NEW YORK.  
THE 3/3 L. I. American Ship  
"KENILWORTH," Baker, Master, now at Shanghai, will leave here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.  
For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, 5th December, 1893. [138]

Consignees.  
NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.  
NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.  
STEAMSHIP, "VICTORIA," FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.  
THE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Counter-signature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be loaded and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.  
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, 6th January, 1894. [14]

THE SINGER MANUFACTURING COMPANY OBTAINED 28 HIGHEST PRIZES at the CHICAGO WORLD'S FAIR.

Improved FAMILY and MANUFACTURING MACHINES, sold Wholesale, Retail, and on the instalment Plan by H. E. BOTTLEWALL & Co., Sole Agents, 2, D'Agular Street.  
Hongkong, 2nd January, 1894. [154]

CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Co., WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS, HONGKONG, SHANGHAI, LONDON AND GLASGOW.  
13, Queen's Road, Hongkong, 4th August, 1893. [100]











## The Share Market.

**LATEST QUOTATIONS.**  
 Hongkong and Shanghai Bank—100 per cent., prem., sales and buyers.  
 The National Bank of China, Ltd.—on £80.00 paid up—25, sales and buyers.  
 The National Bank of China, Ltd.—Founders shares, nominal.  
 The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ltd.—Founders shares, nominal.  
 Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 E—21 per cent. premium, sellers.  
 Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C—3 per cent. premium, buyers.  
 Chinese Imperial Loan of 1886 E—14 per cent. premium.  
 Union Insurance Society of Canton—\$99 per share, sales and buyers.  
 China Trade Insurance Company—\$55 per share, sales.  
 North China Insurance—Tls. 145 per share, buyers.  
 Canton Insurance Company, Limited—\$137 per share, ex div., buyers.  
 Yangtze Insurance Association—\$60, sellers.  
 On Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Tls. 15 per share.  
 Hongkong Fire Insurance Company—\$210 per share, buyers.  
 China Fire Insurance Company—\$81 per share, buyers.  
 Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.—\$38 per share, sellers.  
 China and Manila Steam Ship Company—\$57 sellers.  
 Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited—37½ per cent. discount, sales and buyers.  
 Douglas Steamship Company—\$41, sales and buyers.  
 The Steam Launch Co., Limited—\$20 per share, buyers.  
 Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company—80 per cent. premium, sales and buyers.  
 Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited—\$18 per share, buyers.  
 Hongkong Hotel Company—\$13 per share, sellers.  
 Hongkong Hotel Co.'s Six per cent. Debentures—77½.  
 The Austin Arms Hotel and Building Company, Limited—\$4 per share, sellers.  
 The Shamien Hotel Co., Limited—\$4 per share, sellers.  
 Panjion Mining Co.—\$74 per share, sales and buyers.  
 The Raub Gold Mining Co., Limited—\$4.70 per share, ex div., sales and buyers.  
 The Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Limited—\$1 per share, sales and buyers.  
 Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin—\$75 per share, buyers.  
 The Teles Mining and Trading Co., Limited—\$53 sales and buyers.  
 London and Pacific Petroleum Co., Ltd.—ntr. China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$182 per share, sales and buyers.  
 Luxon Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$35 buyers.  
 A. S. Watson & Co., Limited—\$101, sellers.  
 Dakin, Crutchfield & Co., Limited—\$11 per share, sales and buyers.  
 Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited—\$51 per share, sales and buyers.  
 The Kowloon Land Investment Co., Limited—49 per share, sellers.  
 The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Limited—\$53 sales and buyers.  
 The West Point Buildings Co., Limited—\$20 per share, sellers.  
 H. G. Brown & Co., Limited—\$8 per share, buyers.  
 Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company—\$34 per share, sellers.  
 Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Limited—\$100 per share, sales and buyers.  
 Hongkong Gas Company—\$110 per share, buyers.  
 Hongkong Ice Company—\$81 per share, sellers.  
 Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited—\$65 per share, sellers.  
 The Hongkong Brick and Cement Co., Limited—\$44 per share, sales and buyers.  
 The Green Island Cement Co.—\$51, sales and buyers.  
 The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Limited—\$31, sales and buyers.  
 The Hongkong Steam Laundry Co., Limited—\$35 per share, nominal.  
 The Hongkong High-Level Tramway Co., Limited—\$62 ex div. buyers.

**EXCHANGE.**  
 ON LONDON—Bank, T. T. 2/3  
 Bank Bills, on demand 2/3  
 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 2/3  
 Credits at 4 months' sight 2/3  
 Documentary Bills, at 4 months' sight 2/3  
 ON PARIS—Bank, T. T. 180 1/2  
 Bank Bills, on demand 180 1/2  
 Credits at 4 months' sight 180 1/2  
 ON INDIA—Bank, T. T. 72 1/2  
 Private, 30 days' sight 73

## VISITORS AT THE HONGKONG HOTEL.

Mr. W. Andri.  
 Mr. J. do Rosa Barros.  
 Mr. W. F. de Belhelle.  
 Mrs. von Brandt.  
 Captain Cunningham.  
 Mr. R. Dunsall.  
 Mr. A. J. Easton.  
 Mrs. Gailick.  
 Mr. F. Henderson.  
 Mr. Thos. Howard.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Hunt.  
 Mr. J. Kinghorn.  
 Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kelch.  
 Baron and Baroness de Ladar.  
 Mrs. E. J. Lane.  
 Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Lindholm.  
 Miss N. Lindholm.  
 Miss A. Lindholm.  
 Miss L. Lindholm.  
 Mr. R. Lyall.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Mathews.  
 Mr. J. McWilliams.  
 Mr. T. Mitchell.  
 Mr. de Morillon.

Rev. J. M. Morton.  
 Mr. B. K. Morton.  
 Mr. H. J. Pearson.  
 Miss Pearson.  
 Mrs. Pearson.  
 Mr. H. W. Pearce.  
 Captain E. Peck.  
 Mrs. F. von der Pfordten.  
 Mr. F. von der Pfordten.  
 Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Reisch.  
 Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Sanborn.  
 Mr. and Mrs. F. Schurch.  
 Mr. I. H. Scott.  
 Mr. F. E. Shean.  
 Mr. J. J. Shuter.  
 Mr. and Mrs. C. Sprangle.  
 Mr. G. B. Stephenson.  
 Captain Tillet.  
 Mr. R. L. Thomson.  
 Dr. F. Weltsch.  
 Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Zorblin.

## VISITORS AND RESIDENTS AT THE PEAR HOTEL.

Capt. and Mrs. Hunt.  
 Mr. McArthur.  
 Capt. and Mrs. Moore.  
 Mr. J. M. Murray.  
 Mr. & Mrs. G. Orville.

Mr. Spright.  
 Mr. A. Findlay-Smith.  
 Mr. Stokes.  
 Capt. and Mrs. Welman.  
 Mr. F. E. White.

## MAILS EXPECTED.

**THE ENGLISH MAIL.**  
 The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Mahwa*, with the outward English mail, left Singapore on the 8th instant, and may be expected here on the 10th.

**THE AMERICAN MAILS.**  
 The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Oceanic*, with mails, etc., from San Francisco on the 22nd ult., via Honolulu, left Yokohama to-morrow morning on the 14th instant, and may be expected here on the 19th.

The P. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer *City of Rio de Janeiro*, with the American mail, left San Francisco on the 30th ultimo for this port via Yokohama.

The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Galle*, with mails, etc., left San Francisco for this port, via Yokohama, on the 9th instant.

## STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The D. D. R. steamer *Agila* left Singapore on the 7th instant, and may be expected here to-morrow.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Canton*, from London, left Bombay on the 20th ultimo, and may be expected here on the 15th instant.

The 'Ben' line steamer *Bismarck*, from Antwerp and London, left Singapore on the 11th instant, and may be expected here on the 18th.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Formosa* left London for this port on the 16th ultimo.

## Shipping.

## ARRIVALS.

NANCHANG, British steamer, 2,000, E. Finlayson, 13th Jan.—Canton 13th Jan., General—Butterfield & Swire.  
 POSIDON, Austrian steamer, 2,433, D. Felner, 13th Jan.—Trieste 21st Dec. and Singapore 5th Jan., General—A. L. S. N. Co.  
 WOSANG, British steamer, 1,127, W. E. Sawyer, 13th Jan.—Swatow 12th Jan., General—Jardine, Matheson & Co.  
 PRIOR, German steamer, 1,920, L. Madsen, 13th Jan.—Hogø 7th Jan., General—Stensen & Co.  
 PAKSHAN, British steamer, 835, Jenkins, 13th Jan.—Salon 6th January, Rice—Hop Hing Hong.  
 TRIUMPH, German steamer, 675, J. Petersen, 13th Jan.—Pakhol 10th Jan., and Holbow 12th, General—Ed. Schellhass & Co.  
 TAMHOFF, Russian steamer, 2,785, Transoak, 13th Jan.—from Singapore, General—Melchers & Co.

**CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE.**  
*Monk*, British steamer, for Swatow.  
*Sungshang*, British steamer, for Amoy.  
*W. J. Ratch*, American bark, for New York.  
*Soochow*, British steamer, for Moji.  
*Michael Jensen*, German steamer, for Saigon.  
*Decima*, German steamer, for Saigon.  
*Riverdale*, British steamer, for Hongkong.  
*Ask*, Danish steamer, for Hongkong.  
*Glenorchy*, British steamer, for Shanghai.  
*Wosung*, British steamer, for Kobe.  
*Hongay*, British steamer, for Amoy.  
*Nanchang*, British steamer, for Shanghai.  
*Albatros*, German steamer, for Hongkong.  
*Wosung*, British steamer, for Singapore.  
*Diamond*, British steamer, for Hongkong.  
*Arratoon Ahear*, British steamer, for Hongkong.  
*Hothow*, British steamer, for Shanghai.

**DEPARTURES.**  
 January 12, *Fochang*, British str., for Canton.  
 January 12, *Chungking*, British str., for Canton.  
 January 12, *Wingang*, British str., for Canton.  
 January 12, *Fragy*, Danish steamer, for Hongkong.  
 January 12, *Oceanic*, French str., for Shanghai.  
 January 12, *Pera*, American steamer, for Macao, Yokohama and San Francisco.  
 January 12, *Hothow*, British str., for Shanghai.  
 January 12, *Nanchang*, British steamer, for Shanghai.

January 12, *Arratoon Ahear*, British steamer, for Singapore.  
 January 12, *Telamon*, British str., for Shanghai.  
 January 12, *Propontis*, British steamer, for Singapore.  
 January 12, *Chungking*, British str., for Singapore.  
 January 12, *Sungshang*, British str., for Amoy.  
 January 12, *Turbo*, British str., for Bangkok.  
 January 12, *Diamond*, British steamer, for Amoy.  
 January 12, *Soochow*, British steamer, for Moji.

**PASSENGERS—ARRIVED.**  
 Per *Posidon*, from Trieste, &c.—Messrs. P. Focco, G. Smith, Stura, and 680 Chinese.  
 Per *Wosung*, from Swatow—379 Chinese.  
 Per *Paksham*, from Saigon—4 Chinese.

**DEPARTED.**  
 Per *Oceanic*, from Hongkong for Shanghai, Comte H. d'Hautelstein, Messrs. A. P. Stokes, R. V. Williams, Rev. T. Pigot, and M. Molles.  
 Per *Kobe*, Mr. A. C. Gomez. For Yokohama.  
 Comte V. d'Hautelstein, Captain Vernoux, and L. de Michaux, from Marseilles for Shanghai.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Weber, Mr. and Mrs. Gailick, Miss Nagel, Messrs. W. D. Little, Pope, Ranzell, and 3 missionaries, from Alexandria.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ostrover Shihov and infant, from Calcutta.  
 Mr. Stempel, from Marseilles for Kobe.  
 Rev. Fager, from Singapore.  
 Mrs. Ouyasie, Messrs. Yamamoto and Osumi, from Marseilles for Yokohama.  
 Rev. Boman, Messrs. Uchida, Nakura, Faguchi, Y. Rosen, and Soudaki, from Alexandria.  
 Messrs. Rojstrensky and Steln, from Singapore.  
 Mr. Seuch Tauda.

## REPORTS.

The British steamship *Wosung* reports that she left Swatow on the 12th instant. Had moderate north-east breeze and sea with overcast weather.  
 The British steamship *Paksham* reports that she left Saigon on the 6th instant, and experienced had strong monsoon and high sea to Port; she then to port had fresh wind and moderate sea.

## Post Office.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE—  
 For Shanghai and Kobe—Per *Posidon* to-morrow, the 14th instant, at 9 A.M.  
 For Canton—Per *Powin* to-morrow, the 14th instant, at 9 A.M.

## SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

**STEAMERS.**  
 ALBERT, Norw. steamer, 451, Jrgens, 10th Jan.—Vahs 5th January, Rice—Walter & Co.  
 ALWINE, German steamer, 400, C. Petersen, 12th Jan.—Hothow 11th Jan., General—Walter & Co.

ADAKI MARU, Japanese steamer, 1,995, A. Matsuy, 10th Jan.—Kuchikotsu 5th Jan., Coal—Mitsui Bussan Kaisha.  
 Asa, Danish steamer, 592, Rev. Beck, 10th Jan.—Halphong 8th Jan., and Hothow 9th, General—A. R. Marry.

BANTAM, Dutch steamer, 1,457, C. J. van der Berg, 10th July, Bangkok 13th July, Rice—Lauis, Wegener & Co.  
 CHINA, German steamer, 1,114, P. Voss, 8th Jan.—Salon 31st Dec, Rice—Melchers & Co.

## HONGKONG—STEAMERS.

(Continued.)

CHUSAN, German steamer, 623, W. Wendt, 11th Jan.—Hollo 6th January, General—Tong Koo.  
 DECIMA, German steamer, 955, C. Christensen, 10th Jan.—Bangkok 29th Dec., Rice—Stensen & Co.

DEUTEROS, German steamer, 1,191, W. A. Dinso, 29th Dec.—Samarang 12th Dec., Sugar—Stensen & Co.  
 EMPRESS OF CHINA, British steamer, 4,001, R. Archibald, R.N.R., 2nd Jan.—Vancouver 10th Dec., Victoria 11th, Yokohama 26th, Kobe 27th, Nagasaki 29th, and Shanghai 31st, General—C. P. R. Co.

FAIR, British steamer, 117, Captain McIsaac, —Hongkong Government tender.  
 FORKIN, British steamer, 508, W. Davis, 12th Jan.—Tamsui 8th January, Amoy 10th, and Swatow 10th, General—D. L. Park & Co.

FU-PING, Chinese steamer, 526, J. Watts, 10th Jan.—Canton 10th Jan., General—C. E. & M. Co.

GLENORCHY, British steamer, 1,811, J. Ferguson, 11th Jan.—London and Singapore 23rd Jan., General—Jardine, Matheson & Co.  
 GOV. GEN. JACOB, Dutch steamer, 1,560, N. Kammenga, 6th Jan.—East Indies (Mendo), 29th Dec., General—Lauis, Wegener & Co.

HESPERIA, German steamer, 1,123, Will, 11th Jan.—Salon 25th Jan, Rice and Paddy—Stensen & Co.  
 HONDAY, British steamer, 1,663, James Young, 6th Jan.—Pascoeran 27th Dec., Sugar—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

MICHAEL JENSEN, German steamer, 710, H. Schallier, 12th Jan.—M. J. 6th January, Coal—Walter & Co.  
 MORAY, British steamer, 1,411, W. S. Thomson, 11th Jan.—Moji 6th Jan., Coals—Doddwell, Carilli & Co.

MONK, British steamer, 862, Chas. Stenham, 9th Jan.—Bangkok 10th Dec., and Anglin 1st Jan., General—Yuen Fat Hong.  
 NORMANDIE, Norwegian steamer, 618, E. A. Berg, 11th Jan.—Bangkok 31st Dec, Rice—Melchers & Co.

NURNBERG, German steamer, 3,207, H. Walter, 8th Jan.—Nagasaki 4th Jan., Malls and General—Melchers & Co.  
 PERA NAWI, British steamer, 1,021, W. H. Walton, 11th Jan.—Bangkok 20th January, Rice and General—Yuen Fat Hong.

PICCOLA, German steamer, 768, E. Hass, 22nd Dec.—Salon 15th Dec, Rice—Melchers & Co.  
 PILOT FISH, British steamer, 161, A. Stopan, —Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co.

POLLUX, German steamer, 898, J. Geiken, 26th Nov.—Sourabaya 8th Nov., and Singapore 14th, Sugar and General—Melchers & Co.

PROTOS, German steamer, 947, H. Johansson, 4th Jan.—Moji 30th Dec, Coal—Walter & Co.  
 RECORDE, British telegraph steamer, 676, R. A. E. Beretson, 19th Dec.—Hainan Bay 18th Dec., Telegraph cable—E. E. A. & C. Telegraph Co.

RIVERSDALE, British steamer, 1,311, Ed. Peck, 11th Jan.—Hongkong 9th Jan., Coals—Jardine, Matheson & Co.  
 TAIYUAN, British steamer, 1,762, D. Tilburn, 11th Jan.—Kobe 6th January, General—Butterfield & Swire.

TOYAMA MARU, Japanese steamer, 1,500, J. G. Edwards, 28th Dec.—Moji 23rd Dec., Malls and Coal—Doddwell, Carilli & Co.  
 VICTORIA, British steamer, 1,992, John Pantou, R.N.R., 9th Jan.—Tacomah (Wash.), 14th Dec., General—Doddwell, Carilli & Co.

WINGANG, British steamer, 1,517, A. de St. Croix, 31st Dec.—Calcutta 13th Dec, Penang 20th Dec., and Singapore 23rd, Opium and General—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

WOOSUNG, British steamer, 1,884, D. A. G. Kiaz, 9th Jan.—Moji 3rd Jan., Coal—Butterfield & Swire.

## SAILING VESSELS.

ALFRED HAWLEY, British bark, 412, W. Llewellyn, 15th Nov.—Whampoa 15th November, Ballast—Order.

AMELANA, British ship, 3,395, Richards, 7th Jan.—New York 23rd August, Petroleum—Order.

BANGALORE, British bark, 1,100, Congdon, 4th Dec.—New York 28th July, Rice—Shewan & Co.

BASTON, German bark, 348, H. Eggers, 14th Oct.—Amoy 4th Oct., Sugar—Walter & Co.  
 BERLIN, American ship, 1,532, Whitmore, 31st Nov.—New York 10th June, Kerosene Oil—Order.

CLARA JACKSON, British schooner, 32, Charles Butcher, 3rd Dec.—Sydney 21st March, General—Gibb, Livingston & Co.

KIRRY, British bark, 803, H. Wilson, 1st Dec.—Whampoa 1st December, Ballast—Captain.

LOTHIAN, Italian bark, 794, Juan B. Cabaña, 30th Nov.—Callao 30th Oct., General—D. Hyslop & Co.

MACHIN, British ship, 1,450, Robert Guthrie, 4th Dec.—Cardiff 22nd July, Coals—Government.

MARTHA BOCKHART, German ship, 725, Ed. Metzeke, 11th Oct.—Philadelphia 21st May, Petroleum—Order.

MORAY WASHINGTON, American ship, 1,662, Louis W. Rev, 6th Jan.—Kuchikotsu 5th Dec, Coals—Captain.

NAM SENG SING, Chinese ship, 568, Lok Lok, 10th Aug.—Siam 24th August, Wood—Kong Koo & Co.

SERANG, American ship, 505, R. G. Waterhouse, 26th Dec.—Macao 23rd Dec., General—Order.

WM. J. ROTCH, American ship, 664, S. Leister, 24th Nov.—New York 23rd June, Petroleum—Melchers & Co.

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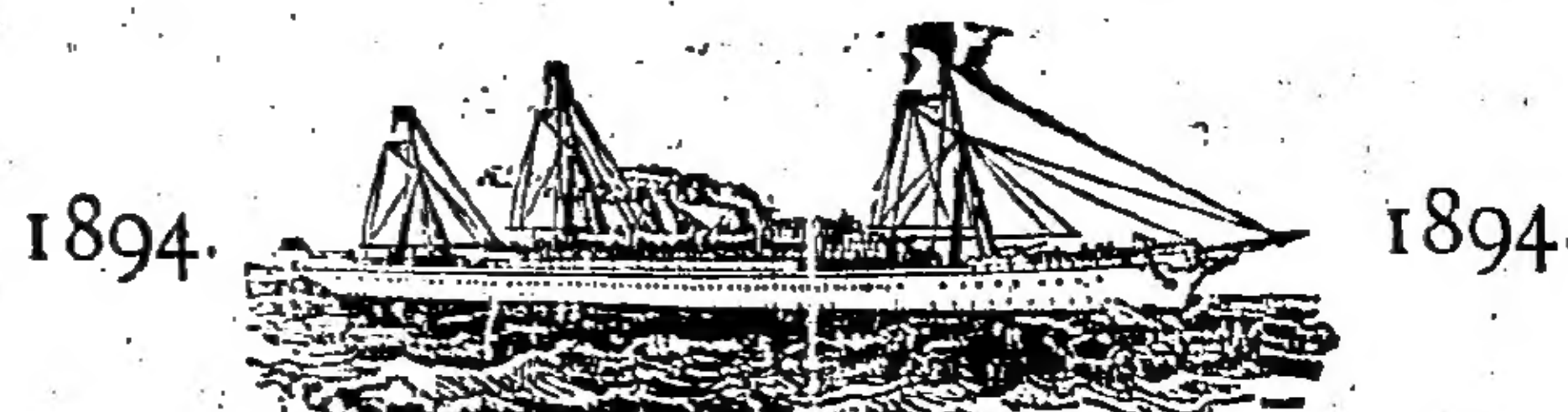
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